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In re application of: Vidya Bhushan Lohray, et al. Serial No.: 09/179,002 Group No.: 1624

Filed: October 26, 1998 Examiner.: R. Raymond

For: NEW HETEROCYCLIC COMPOUNDS AND THEIR USE IN MEDICINE,

PROCESS FOR THEIR PREPARATION AND PHARMACEUTICAL

COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING THEM

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

#### AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

#### **STATUS**

| 2. | Appl | cant is                      |  |  |  |  |
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|    |      | a small entity. A statement: |  |  |  |  |
|    |      | □ is attached.               |  |  |  |  |
|    |      | □ was already filed.         |  |  |  |  |
|    | ⊠    | other than a small entity.   |  |  |  |  |

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|          | If a timely response has been filed after a Final Office Action, an extension of time is required to permit filing and/or entry of a Notice of Appeal or filing and/or entry of an additional amendment after expiration of the shortened statutory period unless the timely-filed response placed the application in condition for allowance. (course, if a Notice of Appeal has been filed within the shortened statutory period, the period has ceased to run Notice of December 10, 1985 (1061 O.G. 34-35). |  |   |   |               |                    |   |  |  |  |
| NOTE:    |   | See 37 C.F.R. 1.645 for extensions of time in interference proceedings, and 37 C.F.R. 1.550(c) for extensions of time in reexamination proceedings.  |   |   |               |                    |   |  |  |  |
| 3.       | The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.  |  |   |   |               |                    |   |  |  |  |
|          |   |  | (complete (a)   | or (b   | ), as applic  | cable)             |   |  |  |  |
|          | (a)   | Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for the total number of months checked below:  |   |   |               |                    |   |  |  |  |
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|          | OR  |  |   |   |               |                    |   |  |  |  |
|          | (b)   | ⊠  | Applicant believes that conditional petition bein has inadvertently overl | ing n   | nade to pro   | vide for the poss  | ibility that applicant                                      |  |  |  |

# FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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| 5.     |          | Att                | ached is a | check in the                              | sum of \$    |               |          |                              |             |               |  |
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#### FEE DEFICIENCY

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## AND/OR

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